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## OPNAV NOTICE 3111

From: Chief of Naval Operations

Subj: DISESTABLISHMENT OF CARRIER AIRBORNE EARLY WARNING

SQUADRON SEVEN EIGHT (VAW 78)

Ref: (a) OPNAVINST 3111.14V

(b) OPNAVNOTE 5400 of 18 Jun 03

- 1. <u>Purpose</u>. To approve disestablishment of Carrier Airborne Early Warning Squadron Seven Eight (VAW 78) under the administrative chain of command of the Chief of Naval Operations per reference (a).
- 2. <u>Background and Mission</u>. Squadron mission is to patrol task force perimeters to provide early warning of approaching enemy aircraft and to vector interceptors into attack positions.
- 3. Organizational Change. Effective 31 March 2005, disestablish VAW 78.

## Disestablishment

Commanding Officer
VAW 78
9218 Fourth AVE LP 21
Norfolk, VA 23511-2299

(SNDL: 42DD3) (UIC: 09102) (PLA: CARAEWRON SEVEN EIGHT)

(PDS: Norfolk, VA)

## 4. Action

a. This is advance change 78-04 to enclosure (4) to reference (b).

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- b. Master Update Authority, Honolulu, HI will delete the Plain Language Address (PLA) in the Central Directory Component effective immediately unless otherwise directed via official correspondence. Correspondence concerning the PLA should be forwarded to NAVNETSPAOPSCOM (Code N511), 5280 Fourth St., Dahlgren, VA 22448-5300.
- 5. <u>Cancellation Contingency</u>. This notice may be retained for reference purposes. The organization action will remain effective until changed by DNS.

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